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Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
One South Station
Boston, Massachusetts 02110

RE: Notice of Inquiry on Provision of Default Service, D.T.E. 02-40

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

Enclosed for filing please find one original and 10 (ten) copies of the Attorney General's Reply Comments together with a Certificate of Service. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

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